## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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County of San Diego

Department of Environmental Health and Quality Solid Waste Local Enforcement Agency (LEA)

5500 Overland Avenue, Suite 170

San Diego, CA 92123

FILING OF NOTICE OF EXEMPTION IN COMPLIANCE WITH PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION SUBJECT:

21108 OR 21152

**Project Name:** Report of Facility Information Amendment for Universal Refuse Removal Recycling and

Transfer Facility, SWIS# 37-AA-0929

1001 W Bradley Ave., El Cajon, CA 92020 **Project Location:** 

Sal Carrion, Universal Refuse Removal Recycling and Transfer Facility Project Applicant:

1001 W Bradley Ave, El Cajon, CA 92020

(951) 970-8617

**Project Description:** The facility operates under a full solid waste facility permit pursuant to Title 14 §17403.7

> which requires the facility to undergo a permit review at least once every five years. Accordingly, the proposed action includes amendments to the Report of Facility

Information (RFI) in the form of a Transfer Processing Report (TPR); amendments reflect updates to current operating practices where co-mingled green/food waste within the facility is no longer tarped overnight and waste receiving hours for commercial customers has been updated. The TPR's Attachment P has been updated to reflect the facility's

current safety equipment and load checking requirements. It further corrects

typographical, grammatical, and formatting errors in the TPR.

Agency Approving Project: County of San Diego Department of Environmental Health and Quality, Solid Waste Local

**Enforcement Agency** 

County Contact Person: Jay Francis Agustin, Department of Environmental Health and Quality, Solid Waste Local

Enforcement Agency, 5500 Overland Ave, Suite 170, San Diego, CA 92123

Telephone: (858) 585-1075

Date Form Completed: April 11, 2024

This is to advise that the County of San Diego Department of Environmental Health and Quality has approved the abovedescribed project on April 10, 2024 and found the project to be exempt from CEQA under the following criteria:

Exempt status and applicable section of the CEQA ("C") and/or State CEQA Guidelines ("G"): (check only one)

☐ Categorical Exemption: Sec. G 15301

☐ **Declared Emergency:** Sec. C 21080(b)(3); Sec. G 15269(a) ☐ **Emergency Project:** Sec. C 21080(b)(4); Sec. G 15269(b)(c)

☐ General: Sec. C.

☐ **Ministerial**: Sec. C 21080(b)(1); G 15268

☐ Preliminary Review: Sec. G

Statutory Exemption: Sec. C 15268

## Statement of reasons why project is exempt:

The Report of Facility Information amendment process is defined and authorized by State Regulation, Title 27 California Code of Regulations, Division 2, Chapter 4, Article 3, Section 21665(c). As specified in Section 21665(c)(1), the LEA finds that the change being requested is exempt from the requirements of CEQA pursuant to Title 14, Chapter 3, Article 5, §15061 (b)(1) because the project approval is a ministerial action and is statutorily exempt per Section 15268 of the CEQA Guidelines.

The following is to be completed only upon formal project approval by the appropriate County of San Diego decision-making body.

Telephone: (858) 585-1075

Name (Print): Jay Francis Agustin Title: Environmental Health Specialist, LEA
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This Notice of Exemption has been signed and filed by the County of San Diego.

This notice must be filed with the Recorder/County Clerk as soon as possible <u>after</u> project approval by the decision-making body. The Recorder/County Clerk must post this notice within 24 hours of receipt and for a period of not less than 30 days. At the termination of the posting period, the Recorder/County Clerk must return this notice to the Department address listed above along with evidence of the posting period. The originating Department must then retain the returned notice for a period of not less than nine months. Reference: CEQA Guidelines Section 15062.